Ms. Goetz, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

 $\,$ H. Con. Res. 30. Concurrent resolution providing for the adjournment of the two Houses.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. THURMOND, from the Committee on Armed Services.

Mr. THURMOND. Mr. President, from the Committee on Armed Services, I report favorably the attached listing of nominations.

Those identified with a single asterisk (*) are to be placed on the Executive Calendar. Those identified with a double asterisk (**) are to lie on the Secretary's desk for the information of any Senator since these names have already appeared in the RECORDS of January 6 and 23, 1995 and to save the expense of printing again.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

(The nominations ordered to lie on the Secretary's desk were printed in the RECORDS of January 6 and 23, 1995 at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

- (*) Lt. Gen. Dale W. Thompson, Jr., U.S. Air Force to be placed on the retired list in the grade of lieutenant general (reference No. 160).
- (*) Lt. Gen. Jerry R. Rutherford, U.S. Army to be placed on the retired list in the grade of lieutenant general (reference No. 161).
- (*) Rear Adm. John A. Lockard, U.S. Navy to be vice admiral (reference No. 162).
- (**) In the Air Force there are 5 promotions to the grade of colonel and below (list begins with Alan L. Christensen) (reference No. 166).
- (**) In the Army Reserve there are 29 promotions to the grade of colonel and below (list begins with Rodger T. Hosig) (reference No. 167).
- (**) In the Army Reserve there is 1 appointment to the grade of lieutenant colonel (Frederick B. Brown) (reference No. 168).
- (**) In the Navy there are 3 appointments to the grade of ensign (lists begins with the James P. Screen III) (reference No. 169).
- (**) In the Air Force there are 662 promotions to the grade of colonel and below (list begins with Barrett W. Bader) (reference No. 170).
- (**) In the Air Force Reserve there are 60 promotions to the grade of colonel (list begins with Jonathan E. Adams) (reference No. 171).
- (**) In the Air Force Reserve there are 202 promotions to the grade of colonel (list begins with Timothy L. Anderson) (reference No. 172).
- (**) In the Army Reserve there are 1,371 promotions to the grade of lieutenant colonel (list begins with Ronnie Abner) (reference No. 173).

Total: 2,336.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated: By Ms. SNOWE:

S. 427. A bill to amend various Acts to establish offices of women's health within certain agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources.

By Mr. ROTH (for himself, Mr. Baucus, Mr. Biden, Mrs. Boxer, Mr. Feingold, Mr. Dodd, Mr. Harkin, Mr. Jeffords, Mr. Kerry, Mr. Lautenberg, Mr. Leahy, Mr. Lieberman, Mrs. Murray, Mr. Pell, and Mr. Wellstone):

S. 428. A bill to improve the management of land and water for fish and wildlife purposes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. BRYAN (for himself and Mr. REID):

S. 429. A bill to amend the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982 to allow commercial nuclear utilities that have contracts with the Secretary of Energy under section 302 of that Act to receive credits to offset the cost of storing spent fuel that the Secretary is unable to accept for storage on and after January 31, 1998; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. SNOWE:

S. 430. A bill to amend XIX of the Social Security Act to require States to adopt and enforce certain guardianship laws providing protection and rights to wards and individuals subject to guardianship proceedings as a condition of eligibility for receiving funds under the medicaid program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

S. 431. A bill to amend the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to prepare fishery management plans and amendments to fishery management plans under negotiated rulemaking procedures, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

S. 432. A bill to amend the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act to require the Secretary of Commerce to prepare conservation and management measures for the northeast multispecies (groundfish) fishery under negotiated rulemaking procedures, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. KERRY:

S. 433. A bill to regulate handgun ammunition, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KOHL:

S. 434. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the deductibility of business meal expenses for individuals who are subject to Federal limitations on hours of service; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. FAIRCLOTH:

S. 435. A bill to provide for the elimination of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. CAMPBELL (for himself, Mr. INOUYE, Mr. McCain, and Mr. DASCHLE):

S. 436. A bill to improve the economic conditions and supply of housing in Native American communities by creating the Native American Financial Services Organization, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Ms. SNOWE:

- S. 437. A bill to establish a Northern Border States-Canada Trade Council, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.
- S. 438. A bill to reform criminal laws, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.
 - By Mr. THOMAS (for himself, Mr. LOTT, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. INHOFE, Mr.

COATS, Mr. MURKOWSKI, and Mr. COCHRAN):

S. 439. A bill to direct the Director of the Office of Management and Budget to establish commissions to review regulations issued by certain Federal departments and agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. WARNER (for himself, Mr. Chafee, Mr. Baucus, Mr. Moynihan, Mr. Bond, Mr. Faircloth, Mr. Kempthorne, Mr. Lautenberg, Mr. Lieberman, Mr. Inhofe, Mr. Reid, Mr. Smith, Mr. Lugar, Mrs. Boxer, Mr. Graham, and Mr. Pell.):

S. 440. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to provide for the designation of the National Highway System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

By Mr. McCAIN:

S. 441. A bill to reauthorize appropriations for certain programs under the Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Ms. SNOWE (for herself and Mr. DOLE):

S. 442. A bill to improve and strengthen the child support collection system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GRAMS:

S. 443. A bill to reaffirm the Federal Government's commitment to electric consumers and environmental protection by reaffirming the requirement of the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982 that the Secretary of Energy provide for the safe disposal of spent nuclear fuel beginning not later than January 31, 1998, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. MURKOWSKI (for himself and Mr. STEVENS):

S. 444. A bill to amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act to provide for the purchase of common stock of Cook Inlet Region, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. D'AMATO (for himself, Mr. Mack, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Faircloth, and Mr. Bryan):

S. 445. A bill to expand credit availability by lifting the growth cap on limited service financial institutions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. INOUYE (for himself, Mr. Hatfield, Mr. Levin, Mr. D'Amato, Mr. Akaka, Mr. Cochran, Mr. Dodd, Mr. Grassley, Mr. Hatch, Mr. Heflin, Mr. Hollings, Mr. Kennedy, Ms. Mikulski, Mr. Moynihan, Mr. Robb, and Mr. Simon):

S. 446. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the public opening of the Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial in Washington, D.C; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. NICKLES):

S. 447. A bill to provide tax incentives to encourage production of oil and gas within the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. PRYOR, and Mr. REID):

S. 448. A bill to amend section 118 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for certain exceptions from rules for determining contributions in aid of construction, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SIMON (for himself and Ms. Moseley-Braun):